



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6479**  
Hideyuki HASHI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2004\_0278A  
Serial No. 10/803,977 : Group Art Unit 2627  
Filed March 19, 2004 : Examiner William Klimowicz

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**LETTER RE PROPOSED DRAWING AMENDMENTS**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

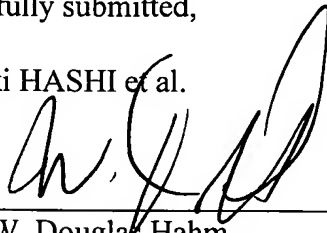
Enclosed herewith is a photocopy of Figs. 5a, 6b, 7a, 7b, 7c, and 7d marked in red to indicate proposed drawing amendments thereto.

The Examiner is requested to approve such proposed drawing amendments. Formal drawings incorporating the amendments shown in the attached photocopy are also being submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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Attached hereto is 3 sheets of formal (A4) drawings (Figs. 5a, 6b, 7a, 7b, 7c, and 7d) as required by the Examiner and discussed in the remarks of the Amendment.

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